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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Inventor:	J. Martin et al.)	
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Title: METHOD FOR DETERMINING THE SIGNAL-TO-NOISE RATIO OF AN
OPTICAL SIGNAL WITHOUT PRIOR DEMULTIPLEXING (as amended)

Commissioner For Patents

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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows.